





## For Sale.

**MacEwen, Frickel & Co.**  
No. 53, Queen's Road East,  
(Opposite the Commisariat),  
ARE NOW  
LANDING FROM AMERICA.

**TOPOCAN BUTTER.**  
Eastern and California CHEESE.  
COUNTRY BUTTER.  
PRIME HAMS and BACON.  
BAGLE BRAND Condensed MILK.  
Family BEEF in 25 lb. cans.  
Bean Ideal SALMON in 5 lb. cans.  
Cutting's Assorted Canned VEGETABLES.  
"Potted SAUSAGE and Sausage MEAT.  
"Stuffed PEPPERS.  
"Assorted SOUPS.  
Richardson & Robinson's Celebrated Potted MEATS.

Lunch HAM.  
Lamb's TONGUES.  
Oven CROWDER.  
Fresh OREGON SALMON.  
Dried APPLES.  
TOMATOES.  
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Maple SYRUP.  
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'KAISAR-I-HIND'  
CIGARETTES  
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AGATE IRON WARE.  
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TUCKER'S PATENT PACKING.  
HOLMES' DISTRESS SIGNALS.  
HITCHCOCK HOUSE LAMPS.  
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PAINTS AND OILS.  
TALLOW AND TAR.  
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Ex late Arrivals from  
ENGLAND.

A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF  
STORERS,

ALMONDS AND RAISINS.  
PRUNE PLUMS.  
TEXAS PRUNE DESSERT FRUITS.  
JORDON ALMONDS.

Fine YORK HAMS.  
PICNIC TONGUES.  
BREAKFAST TONGUES.  
PATE DE FOIE GRAS.

Digby CHICKS.  
Yarmouth BLOATERS.  
Kipped HERRINGS.  
Herrings in 14 SARDINES.

CAVIAR.  
COCOATINA.  
VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.  
KFF'S COCOA.

## COOKING STOVES.

## PARLOUR STOVES.

## CLARETS.

CHATEAU MARGAUX.  
CHATEAU LA TOUR, plus et quart.  
1884 GRAVES.  
BREAKFAST CLARET.

## SHERRIES &amp; PORT.

SACON'S MANZANILLA & AMON.  
TILLADO.  
SACON'S OLD INVALID PORT.  
HUNT'S PORT.

BRANDY, WHISKY, LIQUEURS, &c.  
1 and 3-star HENNESSY BRANDY.  
COGNAC, &c. &c. &c.  
JAMES'S LI WHISKY.  
ROYAL GLENDE WHISKY.  
BOON'S OLD TOM.  
E. & J. BROWN'S IRISH WHISKY.  
RARE'S LI WHISKY.  
NORTH'S LI WHISKY.  
JAMES'S LI WHISKY.  
MARSALA.  
EASTERN CIDER.  
CHAMPAGNE.  
MARASCHINO.  
CUBAN COGNAC.  
ACQUA, BOTTLED BY ORANGE  
BOTTLES.

BASS'S ALE, bottled by CAMERON and  
SAUNDERS, plus and quart.  
GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. &  
J. BROWN, plus and quart.  
DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the  
Gallon.

ALE and PORTER, in hogheads.

## SPECIALTY SELECTED

## CIGARS.

Five New Season's CUMSHAW TEA, in  
5 city boxes.

BREAKFAST CONGOU @ 25 cents p. lb.

MILNER'S PATENT FIREPROOF  
SAVES, CASH AND PAPER  
BOXES, at Manufacturer's Price.

Hongkong, November 22, 1884. 1970

## To-day's Advertisements.

**CANTON DISTRICT.**  
LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS,  
No. 23.

**SOUTH DUTCH FOLLY BEACON.**

WHILE the above Beacon is being  
re-built, a Sampson will be kept  
near the site showing a Green Light at  
night, and a Red Flag during the day.

C. H. PALMER  
Harbour Master.

Approved:  
F. E. WOODRUFF,  
Commissioner of Customs.

Custom House,  
Canton, 8th December, 1884. 2052

**PUBLIC AUCTION.**

THE Undersigned has received instructions  
to Sell by Public Auction,  
AN INVOICE OF  
CAMELIA PLANTS.

Terms of Sale.—As customary.  
J. M. ARMSTRONG,  
Auctioneer.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2061

**THE CHINA & MANILA STEAMSHIP  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Emeralda,  
Captain Taylor, will be  
despatched for the above  
Port TOMORROW, the 9th Instant, at  
5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2049

**DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Douglas,  
Capt. S. Astor, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 10th Inst., at  
Daylight, instead of as previously advertised.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
DOUGLAS LAMPAK & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2055

**FOR SHANGHAI.**  
(Taking Cargo & Passengers at through rates  
for NINGPO, CHEFOO, TIENTSIN,  
NEWCHANG, HANKOW and  
Ports on the YANGTZE.)

The Steamship  
Peking,  
Capt. Barrow, will be  
despatched for the above  
Port on THURSDAY, the 11th Instant, at  
4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
General Managers.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2050

**OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.**

FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.  
The Co.'s Steamship  
Cyprus,  
Capt. Jago, will be  
despatched as above on  
SATURDAY, the 13th Instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2056

## To-day's Advertisements.

**FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO.**  
The Steamship  
Haguro,  
will leave for the above  
Ports on FRIDAY, the  
12th Instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2058

**CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**

FOR PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY  
ISLAND, COOKTOWN,  
TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY,  
MELBOURNE, &c.

The Steamship  
Woolsey,  
Captain Hix, will be  
despatched for the above  
mentioned Ports on SUNDAY, the 14th  
Instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2057

**THE EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN  
STEAMSHIP COMPANY,  
LIMITED.**

FOR SYDNEY, MELBOURNE AND  
ADELAIDE.  
(Calling at PORT DARWIN & QUEEN-  
SLAND PORTS, and taking through  
Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALE-  
DONIA, TASMANIA, and FIJI.)

The Steamship  
Memor, Captain Hix, will be  
despatched for the above  
Ports on SATURDAY, the 20th Instant, at  
5 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to  
RUSSELL & Co.,  
Agents.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2054

**NOTICE.**

I HAVE Admitted Mr. NOORMA-  
HOMED FAIRZHOY PEEBHOY, as a  
PARTNER in my FIRM,  
situated at PONDY, HONGKONG, and  
SHANGHAI, in my own Name, from Kartik  
Sod 1st Saver Year, 1941 (10th October,  
1884), and the said Firm will henceforth be  
designated and carried on under the style of  
"FAIRZHOY PEEBHOY & Co."

JAIRAZHOY PEEBHOY & Co.  
Bombay, November 10, 1884. 2049

**NOTICE.**

WITH Reference to the above, Mr.  
JAIRAZHOY PEEBHOY is au-  
thorized to Sign our Firms in China from  
this date.

JAIRAZHOY PEEBHOY & Co.  
Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2050

**INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION  
COMPANY, LIMITED.**

FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG AND  
SINGAPORE.

HE Steamship Whangpoo having arrived  
from Amoy, and being ready to receive  
Cargo, is hereby requested to send in  
their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned  
for counter signature, and to take im-  
mediate delivery of their Goods.  
Cargo impeding the discharge will be  
at once landed and stored at Consignees  
risk and expense.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.  
Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2055

**SHIPPING.**

ARRIVALS.  
December 8, 1884:—  
Caroline, Norwegian barque, 323, D.  
Brun, Tientsin Nov. 24, and Chefoo  
28, General.—WHEELER & Co.

December 7:—  
Vedette, British barque, 493, R. Martin,  
Newchwang and Chefoo November 27,  
Beans.—CHURCH.

Teucer, British steamer, 1,370, Power,  
Shanghai November 20, and Swatow Dec.  
6, General.—BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

Foram, British steamer, 900, Hogg,  
Shanghai December 4, General.—JARDINE,  
MATHESON & Co.

Anna Bertha, German barque, 666, H.  
Krause, Chefoo November 29, General.—  
STIMPSON & Co.

Doris, German steamer, 936, S. Ashton,  
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Brady, Shanghai December 4, Mails and  
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**THEATRE ROYAL.**  
CITY HALL.

**THE HONGKONG AMATEUR  
DRAMATIC CLUB.**

THE PLAYERS' COMEDY  
"STILL WATERS RUN DEEP."

**TUESDAY EVENING,**  
the 10th Instant.

Performance will commence at 9 p.m. sharp.

Admission by TICKET ONLY.

The Plan of the Theatre can be seen and  
Seats secured at the CITY HALL, on Satur-  
day and Monday next, from 9 to 10.30 a.m.

Those who have not seen the List and  
wish to subscribe for Tickets at 22 each  
will please send in their Names to the  
HONORARY SECRETARY.

H. J. H. TRIPP,  
Hon. Secretary,  
H. K. A. D. C.

Hongkong, December 8, 1884. 2062

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**POST OFFICE NOTICES.**

**MAILS will close:—**

For SHANGHAI, at 5 p.m., on Thursday,  
the 11th Inst.

For MANILA, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,  
the 13th Inst.

For SWATOW, AMOY & FOCHOW, at 5 p.m., on Saturday,  
the 13th Inst.

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## NEWS BY THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. & O. steamer *Stirling* arrived here yesterday with London mails up to the 1st October.

It is stated that although Captain Lang, R.N., who has been acting as organizer of the Chinese Navy, has relinquished that position, his retirement will be only of a temporary character, the Chinese Government being desirous of retaining his services after the conclusion of the present operations between that country and France.

The following Admiralty appointments are gazetted:—Capt. John G. J. Hamner, *Commodore*; Lieut. William A. Croft, to *Admiral*; Lieut. Edward R. Sankey, to *Admiral*; Chief Engineer Edward R. Vane to *Kingfisher*; Paymaster Clement P. Penny to *Kingfisher*.

With reference to the Chinese Indian Transit Pass Question we understand that the London Chamber of Commerce has obtained from the Foreign Office the information that a despatch was sent in December last to Sir Harry Parkes asking him to lay the matter before the Chinese Government, and do his best to obtain increased facilities for the transmission of foreign goods inland under the transit pass system. This despatch would only reach Sir Harry Parkes in March, since when he has journeyed twice to Korea to negotiate the Treaty of Commerce with that country. It will thus be seen that Sir Harry had not until quite lately opportunity to consider this question. Moreover, during the last few months the Chinese Government have declined to enter into matters other than those which affect their position with France.

The Admiralty have directed the *Rambler*, 3, screw composite gun-vessel, 774 tons, 690-horse power, attached to the First Division of the Midway Steam Squadron, to be commissioned on Nov. 11 by Commodore Hon. F. C. Prendergast, Verker, for service with the squadron under Sir William M. Dowell, K.C.B., on the China Station. The *Rambler* is almost a new vessel, having only had three years' service on the South-east Coast of America Station. She is at present in the dockyard hands, undergoing a thorough overhauling and repair; but her refit is ordered to be completed by the end of this month. It is intended to employ the *Rambler*, on surveying service, in which duty Commander Verker has already had considerable experience, having recently commanded the *Mopie* surveying ship in the China Seas.

It is announced that the Government have decided to refuse the demand of the Chinese authorities that the fugitives in the mainland who have sought refuge in the colony of Hongkong should be surrendered under the extradition clause of the Treaty of Tientsin. This matter has engaged the attention of both Lord Granville and Lord Derby for some months past, and the result has been the despatch of the following letter to the Chinese Government:—

(Signed) JOHN BRAMSTON.

Various rumors have been abroad during the week that negotiations are pending between England and France regarding mediation, but so far no official step has been taken in that direction. Acting on the determination to send out strong reinforcements as soon as the supplies shall have been voted, the French Government has given orders for the equipment at Toulon of all the available transports, and has entered into negotiations with the large shipping companies for the use of several additional steamers. The preparations are being carried on with the utmost rapidity, and it is said that the ships will be ready to sail on Nov. 15. The Tonquin Credit Commission has held several meetings this week, and has taken the decisions of the Ministers for Foreign Affairs, War, and Marine, as also those of General Milot and Captain Fournier. The *projet de loi* to open the credits also contains the authorization to the Minister of War to create a Second Foreign Regiment and a fourth of Algerian Tirailleurs, for which a sum of £1,875,774 is required. A Ministerial Council was held on the 28th inst., when a lengthy discussion took place on affairs in China. The course of events makes it evident that France although desirous of terminating the imbroglio, is determined to take Fuzhou, and if China will not come to terms, the occupation of Hainan will probably follow. This policy of 'capture' is likely to continue, unless China capitulates, which is, under the present aspect of affairs, improbable. France will probably position further operations of importance until after the general elections. It is stated that the French reinforcements to be sent to the Far East will number sixteen thousand men, viz., 10,000 for Tientsin, 2,000 for Saigon, and 4,000 for Formosa.

## To Let.

## TO LET.

NOS. 1 and 6, RICHMOND TERRACE, Bonham Road. The premises lately occupied by Messrs. SAYLE & Co. ('VICTORIA EXCHANGE') in Queen's Road, with dwelling-house above and Godown on Ground-floor. To be let either in conjunction with Store or separately. Possession from 1st November next.

Apply to

H. A. WOOLNOUTH, Hongkong Dispensary.

Hongkong, October 11, 1884. 1731

## GODOWN SITES TO LET.

PRATA EAST AND WATCHEE ROAD. For Particulars, apply to

SIEGMUND &amp; Co.

Hongkong, April 26, 1882. 767

## TO LET.

NOS. 7 and 8, SEYMOUR TERRACE, Nos. 3 and 4, PRINCE'S HILL, No. 18, HOLLYWOOD ROAD, No. 25, PRATA CENTRAL, No. 14, GRAMER STREET.

Apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS &amp; Co.

Hongkong, December 2, 1884. 2023

## WASHING BOOBS.

WASHERMAN'S BOOBS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, can now be had at Office.—Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL OFFICE.

## For Sale.

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**BORROUGHS & WATTS'**  
SOLD MAHARAJA  
BILLYARD TABLE,  
Complete with Cues, Pool, Pyramid, &c., &c., &c.  
Just arrived per *Glenfallach*.  
LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.  
Hongkong, November 4, 1884. 1855

## FOR SALE.

**MINERVA—BRUNNEN.**

DELICIOUS NATURAL MINERAL WATER in Cases of 96 Pints @.....\$7.00.  
do. 48 Quarts @.....\$6.00.

Apply to

RUSSELL &amp; Co.

Hongkong, November 10, 1884. 1897

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**BUDDHISM: ITS HISTORICAL, THEORETICAL AND POPULAR ASPECTS,**  
BY  
ERNEST J. EITEL, Ph.D., TUBINGEN.

REVISED, WITH ADDITIONS.

Price, \$1.50.

LANE, CRAWFORD &amp; Co.

Hongkong, August 20, 1884. 1398

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**COURSE, DISTANCE, AND AVERAGE SPEED TABLES,**  
FROM  
LONDON, VIA THE SUEZ CANAL,  
TO  
INDIA, CHINA, JAPAN, &c.,  
WITH  
VARIOUS OTHER TABLES AND NOTES,  
BY  
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F. B. POSTER, Agent.

Hongkong, November 29, 1884. 2009

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G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.

Hongkong, December 4, 1884. 2037

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## Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Rank	Captain.	Flag and Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Agnes	3	Madgo	Brit.	str.	559	Dec. 1	E. E. A. & C. Tel. Co.	
Alvino	3	Moss	Ger.	str.	400	Dec.	4Wieler & Co.	
Benary	3	Boutelliers	Brit.	str.	1119	Nov. 24	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
Cheng Hock Kian	3	Webb	Brit.	str.	956	Nov. 26	Bun Hin Chan	
Cannelot	8	Daily	Brit.	str.	1049	Dec.	8Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Doria	3	Hernrich	Ger.	str.	816	Dec.	3Siemssen & Co.	
Douglas	2	C. Ashton	Brit.	str.	982	Dec.	7Douglas Steamship Co.	
Duburg	3	Schultz	Ger.	str.	1097	Dec.	7Bun Hin Chan	
Emeralda	5	h Taylor	Brit.	str.	395	Dec.	8Russell & Co.	
Estrella	5	Campan	Span.	str.	182	Oct.	3Remedios & Co.	
Fidelio	5	c Brock	Ger.	str.	836	Nov. 30	Wieler & Co.	
Heron	4	cBurg	Brit.	str.	821	Sept.	23Pustau & Co.	
Khiva	2	cAlbanus	Brit.	str.	1419	Dec.	2Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Kong Beng	2	h Jones	Brit.	str.	862	Dec.	1P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Lido	5	Leitch	Brit.	str.	620	Dec.	8Yuen Fat Hong	
Memmuir	5	cHelen	Brit.	str.	2200	Nov. 28	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
Mount Lebanon	4	cMaxwell	Brit.	str.	1555	Oct.	2Borneo Co., Limited.	
Mino Maru	6	cThompson	Jap.	str.	538	Nov. 20	34Melchers & Co.	
Natal	5	cHendrick	Brit.	str.	2455	Nov. 30	34Messageries Maritimes	
Oceanic	6	cMcAlister	Brit.	str.	1608	Nov. 27	27O. & S. S. Co.	
Olympia	6	cChristiansen	Ger.	str.	783	Dec.	6Siemssen & Co.	
Propontia	5	cHesley	Brit.	str.	1387	Dec.	1Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Rosetta	8	cBrady	Brit.	str.	2136	Dec.	7P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Saltoe	5	h Wright	Brit.	str.	252	Dec.	8A. R. Martz	
Sindh	5	cHendrick	Brit.	str.	1800	Nov. 16	34Messageries Maritimes	
Sutlej	2	cHendrick	Ger.	str.	384	Nov. 28	2Wieler & Co.	
Taheran	2	h Johnson	Brit.	str.	2155	Dec.	7P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Tauca	6	cNantes	Brit.	str.	1670	Dec.	7P. & O. S. N. Co.	
Uppingham	6	cPower	Brit.	str.	1324	Dec.	7Butterfield & Swire	
Victoria	6	cNewcomb	Brit.	str.	1431	Sept.	30Melchers & Co.	
Will of the Wind	2	cShield	Brit.	str.	1651	Sept.	30Siemssen & Co.	
Wingang	6	cWeston	Brit.	str.	166	Nov.	16Pustau & Co.	
Wingang	6	hOroz	Brit.	str.	1654	Dec.	8Jardine, Matheson & Co.	
Sailing Vessels								
Adole	3	cSchmacker	Ger.	bgs.	433	Nov. 19	16Melchers & Co.	
Adolph	3	kFecke	Ger.	bgs.	266	Nov. 21	21Pustau & Co.	
Anna Bertha	2	cKrause	Ger.	bgs.	696	Dec.	3Siemssen & Co.	
Anna Dorothea	3	cLenger	Ger.	bgs.	345	Nov.	13Order	
Argos	6	cThompson	Brit.	bgs.	600	Nov. 20	28Pustau & Co.	
Auguste	7	cJost	Ger.	bgs.	596	Oct.	30Siemssen & Co.	
Baia	1	nNilsson	Brit.	bgs.	347	Dec.	6Order.	
Calabria	2	hWilliams	Brit.	bgs.	484	Nov.	3Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Ceylon	3	kBarstow	Amer.	bgs.	647	Oct.	20Russell & Co.	
Concordia	3	cClasen	Ger.	bgs.	652	Nov.	23Siemssen & Co.	
Caroline	3	cBrus	Norw.	bgs.	328	Dec.	23Wieler & Co.	
Crescent	2	cHansen	Amor.	bgs.	533	Nov. 13	13Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Daniel	2	cOlson	Ger.	bgs.	416	Dec.	2Chinese	
Elise	2	kWinters	Ger.	sh.	987	Nov.	3Melchers & Co.	
Emily	3	cCrichton	Brit.	bgs.	296	Nov. 18	18Wieler & Co.	
Elr König	3	kNausch	Ger.	bgs.	456	Dec.	2Siemssen & Co.	
Escort	3	cWaterhouse	Amer.	bgs.	604	Sept.	19Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Greecian	7	cDunbar	Amer.	sh.	1621	Dec.	2Order	
Holcon	7	hOrosen	Amer.	sh.	1139	Nov.	27Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Honolulu	4	cEgert	Brit.	sh.	1699	Sept.	23Russell & Co.	
Hydra	6	cBinge	Ger.	bgs.	785	Sept.	17Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
H. C. Sibley	4	cFowler	Ame. bkts.	547	Nov. 11	Order		
Imperial	7	cGrosby	Amer.	sh.	1283	Dec.	2Captain	
Importer	7	cWessels	Amer.	bgs.	1207	Sept.	18Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Joo	3	kHockelmann	Ger.	bgs.	344	Nov.	27Wieler & Co.	
Johanna	4	hHansen	Ger.	bgs.	845	Sept.	15Calderwiz & Co.	
John C. Munro	3	cSummers	Brit.	bgs.	613	Oct.	16Adams, Bell & Co.	
J. S. Stone	4	cWeston	Brit.	bgs.	674	Oct.	10Russell & Co.	
Kate Davenport	4	cHowland	Amer.	sh.	1193	Oct.	10H. K. & W. Dock Co.	
Lennox Castle	8	hSobrido	Brit.	bgs.	693	Oct.	31Leung, Crawford & Co.	
Livingstone	3	cSteffens	Ger.	bgs.	531	Oct.	3Wieler & Co.	
Luzon	8	cWhite	Amer.	sh.	1392	Nov.	27Siemssen & Co.	
Maie	3	hWeyrich	Ger.	sh.	1218	Aug.	27Calderwiz & Co.	
Mario Louise	3	kErichsen	Ger.	bgs.	442	Nov.	17Wieler & Co.	
Martha Davis	7	cBenson	Amer.	bgs.	833	Dec.	4Russell & Co.	
Mary Stewart	2	cThompson	Brit.	bgs.	484	Nov.	24Master	
Misko	3	cCentancho	Brit.	bgs.	516	Nov.	4Gibb, Livingston & Co.	
Mount Lebanon	4	hO. Nelson	Brit.	bktins.	590	Aug.	21Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Namuno	8	cDodd	Brit.	bgs.	689	Nov.	23Arnhold & Co.	
Naxos	3	cMartin	Ger.	bgs.	689	Nov.	23Calderwiz & Co.	
Paul Jones	3	hWinn	Amer.	sh.	1206	Oct.	1cCaptain	
P. N. Blanchard	3	cLeuchs	Amer.	sh.	1503	Sept.	20Wing Tye Lon.	
Sarah Highnett	4	kBoos	Amer.	sh.	1357	Sept.	14Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	
Sarah S. Ridgway	4	kTownsend	Amer.	bgs.	831	Nov.	26Chinese	
Sea Swallow	3	kMayer	Brit.	bgs.	352	Dec.	6Order	
Three Brothers	2	kEhlich	Brit.	bgs.	306	Oct.	26Chinese	
Velocity	3	cMartin	Ger.	bgs.	403	Dec.	7Chinese.	
Wandering Jew	3	cTalpey	Amer.	sh.	1650	Sept.	15Russell & Co.	
Western Monarch	8	cErichsen	Brit.	sh.	1314	Nov.	7Captain	
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